


To: The Honorable Mayor and City Council

From: Marc Elias, Jr.
Chief of Police  For M.E.

Date: July 10, 2012

RE: AUTHORIZATION FOR EXPENDITURE FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT
TRUST FUND

RECOMMENDATION

That the City Council authorize \$70,000 for law enforcement activities delineated below.

BACKGROUND

1. Funds for Training.
Approximate cost: \$20,000.

These funds will be utilized for additional law enforcement training, conferences, professional organization memberships, etc. for police personnel which are not paid by General Revenue or Police Training Funds. These courses are essential for career development, specialized training, membership in professional organizations and maintaining professional certifications.

2. Funds for Community Projects and events, necessary to promote positive police image, crime prevention and other law enforcement purposes.
Approximate cost: \$45,000.

3. Funds for Special Investigations.
Approximate Cost: \$5,000.00

Special Investigations such as homicide and narcotics cases incur expenses that require immediate access to funds. Funds are needed for flash money, informants, short-term rental of rooms and special equipment.

ATTACHMENTS

None